



Please type a plus sign (+) inside this box → +

PTO/SB/29 (2/98)

Approved for use through 09/30/00. OMB 0651-0032

Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

RECEIVED
MAR 29 2000
TECH CENTER 1600/2800

**CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION (CPA)
REQUEST TRANSMITTAL**

Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing.

(Only for Continuation or Divisional applications under 37 CFR § 1.53(d)) ☐ Duplicate

Address to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents Box CPA Washington, D.C. 20231	Attorney Docket No.	PF147D1
	First Named Inventor	Hastings et al
	Examiner Name	Saoud, C.
	Group/Art Unit	1646
	Express Mail Label No.	

This is a request for a ☒ continuation or ☐ divisional application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d), (continued prosecution application (CPA)) of prior application number: 09/037,460 filed on March 10, 1998 entitled Human Vascular IBP-Like Growth Factor Polynucleotide (as amended)

NOTES

Filing Qualifications: the prior application identified above must be a nonprovisional application that is either: (1) complete as defined by 37 CFR § 1.51(b), or (2) the national stage of an international application in compliance with 35 USC 371. A Notice will be placed on a patent issuing from a CPA, except for reissues and designs, to the effect that the patent issued on a CPA and is subject to the twenty-year patent term provisions of 35 USC § 154(a)(2). Therefore, the prior application of a CPA may have been filed before, on or after June 8, 1995.

C-I-P Not Permitted: A continuation-in-part application cannot be filed as a CPA under 37 CFR § 1.53(d), but must be filed under 37 CFR § 1.53(b).

Express Abandonment of Prior Application: the filing of this CPA is a request to expressly abandoned the prior application as of the filing date of the request for a CPA. 37 CFR § 1.53(b) must be used to file a continuation, divisional, or continuation-in-part of an application that is not to be abandoned.

Access to Prior Application: The filing of this CPA will be construed to include a waiver of confidentiality by the applicant under 35 USC 122 to the extent that any member of the public who is entitled under the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.14 to access to, copies of, or information concerning, the prior application may be given similar access to, copies of, or similar information concerning, the other application or applications in the file jacket.

35 USC 120 Statement: In a CPA, no reference to the prior application is needed in the first sentence of the specification and none should be submitted. If a sentence referencing the prior application is submitted, it will not be entered. A request for a CPA is the specific reference required by 35 USC 120 and to every application assigned the application number identified in such request. 37 CFR § 1.78(a).

1. ☐ Enter the "unentered" amendment previously filed on _____ under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 in the prior nonprovisional application.
2. ☒ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
3. ☐ This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application, 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d)(4).
 - a. ☐ **DELETE** the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional application;

 - b. ☐ The inventor(s) to be deleted are set forth on a separate sheet attached hereto.
4. ☐ A new power of attorney or authorization of agent (PTO/SB/81) is enclosed.
5. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed.
 - a. ☐ PTO-1449
 - b. ☐ Copies of IDS Citations

03/28/2000 SLUANG1 00000074 083425 09037460

01 FC:131 690.00 CH
02 FC:102 858.00 CH
03 FC:103 1458.00 CH

**RECEIVED**

MAR 29 2000

Please type a plus sign (+) inside this box →

TECH CENTER 1607058 (2/98)

Approved for use through 09/30/00. OMB 0651-0032
Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

TYPE	NO. FILE	LESS	EXTRA	EXTRA RATE	FEE
Total Claims	101	-20	81	\$18.00 each	\$1,458.00
Independent	14	-3	11	\$78.00 each	858.00
Minimum Fee					690.00
Multiple Dependency Fee if applicable (\$260.00)					
Total Filing Fee					\$3,006.00

6. ☐ Small entity status:
- ☐ A small entity statement is enclosed, if (b) and (c) do not apply.
 - ☐ A small entity statement was filed in the prior nonprovisional application and such status is still proper and desired.
 - ☐ Is no longer claimed.
7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge the following fees to Deposit Account No. 08-3425:
- ☒ Fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16
 - ☐ Fees required under 37 CFR § 1.17
 - ☐ Fees required under 37 CFR § 1.18
8. ☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ is enclosed.
9. ☒ Other: Petition for Extension of Time for two months

NOTE: The prior applications' correspondence address with carry over to this CPA UNLESS a new correspondence address is provided below.

10. NEW CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS					
Name	Michele M. Wales, Esq., Attorney for Applicants Human Genome Sciences, Inc.				
Address	9410 Key West Avenue				
City	Rockville	State	MD	Zip Code	20850
Country	US	Telephone	301-610-5772	Fax	301-309-8439

11. SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED	
Name (Print/Type)	Michele M. Wales
Signature	
Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	43,975
Date	March 27, 2000